

# *Cape Cod Community College*

## Thirtieth Commencement

Thursday, June Fourth  
at Seven O'clock  
Nineteen Hundred Ninety-two



## **The community is our campus ... the citizenry is our student body**

Cape Cod Community College, founded in 1961, is a publicly supported, post-secondary institution offering many different programs and services. While fostering excellence and opportunities to *all* citizens through high standards and an open-door admissions policy, the highly qualified faculty and staff provide a supportive, humanistic medium in which to learn.

Maintaining its commitment to excellence, the College carries out its duties as a leader by contributing richly to our region's intellectual, educational, cultural, environmental, and economic development.

The College aims to awaken individuals' abilities so that they may lead richer lives, do their best in their chosen career and be good citizens of their community and country. To those ends, within its charter, the College is open to individuals of all ages, as well as organizations, businesses, and public institutions. We serve:

- ▶ people who want two years of college, planning on transfer to four-year schools;
- ▶ people who want career opportunities leading to degrees or certificates and employment in a chosen field;
- ▶ people of all ages desiring enrichment of their personal, cultural, and recreational lives;
- ▶ people who want or need study abroad, for personal, educational, or business reasons, through the College Consortium of International Studies, of which the College is a member;
- ▶ companies, agencies and community groups needing help in offering their employees or members educational, personal enrichment, and community development services; and
- ▶ those who need improvement in basic skills and/or literacy to ensure their successful attainment of their educational and career goals.

The success of the College has always depended upon its reputation for excellence among its audience, the people of the area. Thus the College truly belongs to the people it serves and who support it, and it must respond to individual and community needs. For over a quarter of a century, the College has served as the foundation of post-secondary educational opportunity, career development, and cultural activity for the Cape and its residents. Thousands of Cape residents have either earned a degree, learned or updated job skills, or simply benefitted from the College's cultural offerings. In 1961, 166 students enrolled at Cape Cod Community College. Today, the College has an enrollment of over 5,000 students per semester during the day and evening.

## Program

<i>Processional</i> . . . . .	Members of the Highland Light Scottish Pipe Band
<i>The National Anthem</i> . . . . .	Fred W. Drifmeyer, Organist
<i>Invocation</i> . . . . .	The Reverend Martha Smith Eames
<i>Greetings and Introductions</i> . . . . .	Richard A. Kraus, President Evan Bredakis, Vice Chairman Board of Trustees
<i>Greetings to the Graduates</i> . . . . .	Michael McGourty President, Student Senate
<i>Presentation of Awards</i>	
<i>Excellence in Teaching</i> . . . . .	Hosni A. Nabi Dean of Academic Affairs
<i>Alumni</i> . . . . .	Richard J. Sullivan Dean of Student Services
<i>Emeritus</i> . . . . .	President Kraus Vice Chairman Bredakis
<i>Commencement Address</i> . . . . .	Grace S. Grossman Chairman of the Board of Trustees
<i>Anthem</i> . . . . .	College Chorus
"Go Forth into the World in Peace" by John Rutter	Robert W. Kidd, Conductor
<i>Presentation of the Class of 1992</i> . . . . .	Dean Nabi
<i>Conferring of Degrees</i> . . . . .	Chairman Grossman President Kraus
<i>Spiritual</i> . . . . .	College Chorus
"Ride the Chariot" arr. Wm. H. Smith	Jayson E. Newell, Conductor Chorus President/Student
<i>Benediction</i> . . . . .	The Reverend Eames
<i>Recessional</i> . . . . .	Members of the Highland Light Scottish Pipe Band
<i>President's Reception</i> . . . . .	For graduates, parents, friends, and community guests

## Commencement Marshals

*Grand Marshal*  
*Platform Marshal*  
*Faculty Marshal*  
*Student Marshals*

Barry McPhee  
Nancy Dempsey  
George Bent  
Melissa A. Corso  
Kurt A. St. George

## Class of 1992

### *Officers*

*President*  
*Vice President*  
*Treasurer*  
*Secretary*  
*Public Relations*  
*Parliamentarian*

Michael R. McGourty  
Melissa A. Corso  
Kurt A. St. George  
Jessica E. Miller  
Reneé M. Gabrenas  
James E. Salthouse

## Alumni of the Year

1983 Daniel A. Martinage  
*Class of 1973*

1984 Pamela E. Terry  
*Class of 1977*

1985 Stephen C. Grew  
*Class of 1974*

1986 Mabry O'Neal Layton  
*Class of 1981*

1987 Robert J. Borders  
*Class of 1975*

1988 Betty J. Lynch  
*Class of 1980*

1989 Helen W. Goolishian  
*Class of 1969*

1990 Robert V. Matthews  
*Class of 1979*

1991 Dorothy E. Burrill  
*Class of 1979*

1992 James M. McEvoy  
*Class of 1980*

Patricia M. Kudrick  
*Class of 1979*

Dana A. Mohler-Faria  
*Class of 1972*

Dorothy G. Hemmings  
*Class of 1982*

Karen M. Holmes  
*Class of 1976*

Michael A. Platnick  
*Class of 1978*

Donald R. Monteiro  
*Class of 1974*

Charles N. Robinson  
*Class of 1969*

## Class of 1992

### Associate in Arts Degree Candidates

	Sami Peter Aaltonen		Glenn A. Cook
	Christopher John Adams		Marnie Ilana Cook
	Erin Elizabeth Adamson	*	Daniel G. Cormier
*	Virginia Caroline Alberts		Nancy J. Corwin
	Carlos M. Aldavero		Sam Cotter
	Birgit Angela Arrow	†	Shane Patrick Coughlin
	Johanna Christine Ashcraft	*	Raymond J. Craven III
†	Anne Marie Babineau		Kimberly Ann Creel
*	Amy R. Baird		John Francis Cullen
	Robert Jordan Baker	†φ	Patricia Kay Cunningham
†φ	Regina Anne Barletta		Thomas E. Cxypoliski
	Harold M. Belbin		Corina Davis
	Jeanne I. Bergeson	†φ	Heidi A. Davis
	Paula Lee Bibeault	†	Pamela J. Davis
	Richard Dyllan Bienvenue		Tracy Lee DeMello
	Amy Ellen Bird		Jeffrey Robert DeRego
	Eric Alan Blackburn		Janice Maria Despotopulos
*	Michael Andrew Blanchard	†	John J. D. Devlin
	Matthew M. Bookstein		Edward G. Dolby III
	Elizabeth Anne Bourgoïn		Violeta A. Donahue
†	Susan Rogers Brackett	*	Jean K. Donald
*	David Wayne Brown		Salyan Downing
	Rebecca Anne Brown	†φ	Nancy Duggan
†φ	Heidi Ann Buckley		Dee-Anne Dunham
†φ	Paula Burns	†	Diane Dutra
*	Robert Joseph Cabral		Etienne Gerard Elichalt
*	Robert A. Campbell	†φ	Kim M. Elliott
	James Patrick Carney		Marilyn A. Empey
†	Debra Elaine Carvell	†	MaryKate Haley Farrington
†	Fred Evan Case		Sondra Lee Fasulo
†φ	Allison L. Caswell	†	Carolyn Ann Fischer
	Vincent Thomas Ciliberto, Jr.	*	Dannielle E. Ford
*	Ronnie Lee Clark	†φ	Myles Arthur Franklin, Jr.
	Vera-Jean M. Clark	†	Jeannine Geoffrion
*	Melissa Marie Cohen	†φ	Eileen Virginia Geoghegan
	John E. Colgan	*	Erin Kathleen Germain
	Cheryl Lyn Collins		Christopher Lee Gibbons
*	Shauna Susann Conley		Holly S. Gill
†φ	Kiara Mary Constant		Lisa Marie Gilmour

\* *Honors*

† *High Honors*

φ *Phi Theta Kappa*

† Laura Jane Ginsburg  
 \* Angela Elizabeth Gompert  
 \* George W. Goodspeed III  
 Joseph Patrick Gordon  
 Tracey Gordon  
 \* Barbara E. Gorham  
 \* Sheryl A. Granger  
 Pamela Gross  
 Cheryl Kathleen Gruenstern  
 Christopher Lee Guerreiro  
 † A. Stina Gustafson  
 † Andrea Lee Haley  
 Camilla A. Hampton  
 Janice S. Hanley  
 Adam Jason Harmon  
 Christopher John Henschel  
 Christopher Todd Hermann  
 \* Kristine Marie Hindle  
 Owain Hogan  
 † Colleen Mary Holden  
 \* Jamieson Allen Horton  
 \* Sandra Ann Howes  
 † Sylvie Huneault  
 † Kristen L. Jalbert  
 † Patricia C. Johnson  
 † Jeremy Z. Jorgensen  
 \* Kathleen M. Junkins  
 William G. Kaser  
 Jason Edward Keefe  
 Susanna Keith-Papas  
 †φ Sheryn Elaine Kilgore  
 † Katherine Mary Klopper  
 Kelly Jo Konigsburg  
 \* David Alan Kooharian  
 Bryan E. Lambert  
 Diane D. Landry  
 † Susan Kay Lannen  
 Edmund Thomas Lavin, Jr.  
 \* Charles Gardner Lawrence  
 Glenn Richard Lawrence  
 †φ Karen Marie Lawrence  
 \* Gina R. Lema  
 † Nancy C. Lepri

\* *Honors*  
 † *High Honors*

\*φ Doreen N. Levitan  
 \* Robert Andrew Looney  
 Daniel A. Lucas  
 William M. Mack  
 Richard W. Maloney  
 \* Regina Marten-Getch  
 Jennifer Ann Martin  
 Elizabeth Bushnell Mason  
 Glenna M. Massey  
 \*φ Jennifer Lynn May  
 Richard Joel Mazzaferro  
 \* Michael John Mazzuca  
 \* Paul Scott McAlduff  
 † LuAnn M. McAuliffe  
 John Charles McCann  
 Erin Anne McCarthy  
 Sarah K. McDonald  
 Peter K. McIlvin  
 † Lauri McLeland  
 \*φ Martha Anne McManus  
 \* Theresa Elizabeth Moller  
 Mary Margaret Mooney  
 David W. Moore  
 Cheryl Lynn Morse  
 \* Kimberly Ann Mountain  
 \* Daniel R. Mullaney  
 Michael Joseph Murphy  
 Deborah Ann Nelson  
 †φ David Charles O'Brien  
 Colleen Marie O'Connor  
 Yuki Ono  
 \* Laurie A. Paige  
 Sean R. Peach  
 Kimberly A. Perkins  
 Michael Stephen Perry  
 †φ Steven M. Pike  
 \* Katherine Mary Pileeki  
 Dennis M. Pinto II  
 †φ Lisa Marie Pomeroy  
 Tony J. Popillo  
 \* Nancy Quackenboss Proctor  
 †φ James Edward Quinn  
 Sandra J. Radford

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† John Brian Ready  
 Kimberly Dawn Rhodes  
 \* Kevin Henry Rielly  
 Kelly Lynn Rimkunas  
 † Susan S. Roberts  
 \* Jeremy Stephen Roche  
 †φ Francine K. Rodman  
 Doris Rodriguez  
 † Rhonda L. Santos  
 Thomas J. Santos  
 †φ Eileen Marie Scannell  
 † Judith Ann Schroth  
 John Kasper Sedlock  
 † Patricia Jean O'Brien Sibson  
 † Cynthia Mae Silva  
 Mark Daniel Skelly  
 † Cynthia Sue Smith  
 Robert Scott Smith  
 Keri Lynne Sparks  
 † Vanessa Spivey  
 \* Maureen L. Starr  
 \* Suzanne T. Stenger  
 Roy H. Stevens  
 Jacqueline Anne Sullivan  
 Kevin M. Sylver  
 Roxanna Geneve Sylvia  
 Gioia Michel Tango  
 \* Susan J. Tanionos

Denise June Tetrault  
 † Patricia Louise Thomas  
 \* Sherry L. Thomson  
 \* Albert Tye Tilt  
 \* Kelly Ann Timmins  
 \* Thomas Tomasian III  
 †φ Katrina M. Toran  
 † Diane B. Towns  
 Christine Nancy Tripp  
 Bonnie Janecek Turngren  
 \* Christofer E. Wagner  
 \* John Wesley Walling  
 \* Michael Edward Walsh  
 \* Michael Patrick Walsh  
 \* Peter Curry Walsh  
 † Paula A. Weber  
 \*φ Elizabeth A. Welch  
 \* Judith C. Werner  
 \* Ann Gale Wetherbee  
 Jonathan R. Whiting  
 Craig Richard Whitten  
 †φ Sharon Lynne Whyte  
 † David P. Wilson, Jr.  
 John C. Winchell  
 Delcia V. Winslow  
 Malea Jayne Yazzie  
 Eric Anthony Zacchini

## Associate in Science Degree Candidates in Accounting

Susy N. Bento  
 Anthony Joseph Condon  
 \* Barbara A. Costa  
 Margaret Mary Costello  
 † Marilyn D. Crary

Thomas A. Fiala, Jr.  
 Jennifer Marie Nickerson  
 † Anne P. Polson  
 Anne B. Sayer  
 \* Mark Kenney Torres

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 † *High Honors*

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## Computer Information Systems

Cheryl Ann D'Angelo  
†φ Abigail Susan Eldridge  
Timothy Shannon English  
Karen K. Jensen

† Debra Ann Jolda  
Juan Alberto Rodriguez  
\* Karen Michelle Sawyer  
Barbara Ann Willoughby

## Construction Technology and Management

John A. Ambroult  
Robert M. Downey, Jr.

\* Kieran J. Healy

## Criminal Justice

\* Martha Louise Amster  
† Gil B. Bellefeuille  
\*φ John Edward Boyle  
Terrence J. Brady  
†φ Matthew T. Colella  
Robert F. Cook  
Jennifer Anne D'Elia  
Eric J. Ellenbolt  
† Melissa Ann Gomes  
Richard P. Gordon  
Patrick Walter Hartmann  
Joshua Ryan Hoffman  
R. Brian Hummell  
Steven Wade Jones  
Sean Michael Joyce  
Shirley J. Kennedy  
\* Charles Kenneth Morse

\* Michael J. Mulligan  
†φ Jennifer Maria Murray  
Peter S. Myrbeck  
\* Robert E. Parker  
\* Jill M. Peschier  
Jeffrey Raymond  
Lauren Ann Reese  
\* Steven L. Sherwood  
†φ Gregory M. Smith  
Howard T. Smith  
Kristin L. Stevens  
† Brian Scott Sullivan  
Jason M. Vermette  
Jeffrey Lawrence Welch  
\* John E. Williams, Jr.  
Douglas Scott Zingali

## Dental Hygiene

Rachael J. Anderson  
Theresa Mae Barnaby  
\* Carol Friel Brodd  
†φ Susan Catherine Collins  
Terry Ann Contardo  
Patricia Ann Furtado  
† Kirsten Lynn Meara

Brenna O'Grady  
† Susan Elizabeth Peecher  
† Kristen Ann Pike  
\* Nancy L. Pothier  
Christine A. Rooney  
Kimberly Ann Wyman

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† High Honors

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## Early Childhood Education

Veronica Maria Gannon  
 \*ϕ Amy Elizabeth Keith

\* Janet MacNally  
 † Bonnie Jean Shea

## Engineering Science

† Paul David Anderson  
 \* Shari L. Boibeaux  
 \* Paul Michael Eugenio

†ϕ Gordon S. Lewis  
 \* Michael Martin Raab

## Fire Science

George W. Baker  
 \* Robert William Johnson  
 Edward John McGarry

\* Theodore F. Mickle  
 † Mark F. Rogers

## Hotel/Restaurant Management

Jennifer Marie Abbott  
 \* Amy E. Allen  
 † Jo Ann Anderson  
 †ϕ Melissa A. Corso  
 Phillip A. Doherty  
 Renée M. Gabrenas  
 Paul Charles Gaudreau  
 Sheryl Lyn (Zweig) Gervais  
 \* Marjorie Ellen Hurley  
 Amy Elizabeth Johnston

†ϕ Lisa Natasha Maguire  
 Dawn S. Merriam  
 Kristin Ellen Mulhall  
 \* Jacqueline Marie Murphy  
 Julie C. O'Brien  
 Sandra Lynn Obrig  
 Kurt A. St. George  
 Deborah L. Stewart  
 Terrence David Smily

## Management

\* Carolyn A. DiMeo  
 David Richard Hegarty  
 \* Marsha M. Madigan  
 \* Gloria Dawn McAssey

Jason Ollerhead  
 Gary Dean Philbrick  
 Kate E. Sullivan

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 † *High Honors*

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## Nursing

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Kimberlee Keree Acero</li> <li>* Yvonne Marie Anderson</li> <li>† Patricia A. Baker</li> <li>Stephanie Baker</li> <li>* Lisa M. Barry</li> <li>Althea Adamson Bassett</li> <li>* Deborah Ialeen Beneduci</li> <li>* Ellen Teresa Bent</li> <li>Jeffrey Allan Berger</li> <li>* Ellen Teresa Boselli</li> <li>† Cathy Anne Boynton</li> <li>Virginia Louise Brown</li> <li>† Deborah Ann Brumfield</li> <li>†φ Anna Marie Brunelle</li> <li>* Kathleen E. Cabral</li> <li>* Cynthia Ann Cardoza</li> <li>Brenda Gail Christian</li> <li>Sandra Jean Clavin</li> <li>Mary R. Coffey</li> <li>* Amy Abbott Corrigan</li> <li>Cheryle A. Cournoyer</li> <li>* Sandra Irene Cunningham</li> <li>Jacqueline L. Desjardins</li> <li>† H. Ernest Dodd</li> <li>Sandra Ida Domingos</li> <li>* Patricia A. Donnelly</li> <li>Margaret Mary Dorsey</li> <li>* Donna Miosky Dragos</li> <li>Linda Marie Dynan</li> <li>† Joanna B. Elsmore</li> <li>† Patricia Ann Forrester</li> <li>Paul J. Fortin</li> <li>Catherine Alice Gallagher</li> <li>Cynthia Barth Gardner</li> <li>†φ Cynthia M. Gawley</li> <li>Claudia Victoria Gillette</li> <li>Maryanne Goodnow</li> <li>Doris B. Gravel</li> <li>Angela E. Halter</li> <li>Gail M. Hatch</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Candace Ann Hazelton</li> <li>Grace H. Hill</li> <li>Nadine Hutchinson</li> <li>†φ Pamela Karson</li> <li>Cheri A. Kennedy</li> <li>* Kathleen L. Kent</li> <li>Nancy Joyce Kerans</li> <li>Deborah Marie Larson</li> <li>* Elizabeth A. Lee</li> <li>Karen L. Lodico</li> <li>† Deborah Anne Loftus</li> <li>* Marilyn Long</li> <li>* Kimberly A. Lott</li> <li>* Joseph Francis Lydon, Jr.</li> <li>Joanne Elizabeth Matalavage</li> <li>Shauna C. Mayo</li> <li>Patricia Ellen McGuire</li> <li>Adrienne M. McMahon</li> <li>Andrea L. Méau</li> <li>* Diane L. Miller</li> <li>Joyce L. North</li> <li>† Barbara J. O'Flaherty</li> <li>Judith Joslin Ohrn</li> <li>* Doreen M. Pomarole</li> <li>Therese I. Rachel</li> <li>Christine Marie Reggiani</li> <li>* Jeanne A. Ritz</li> <li>* James Newton Roberts</li> <li>Marjorie K. Rome</li> <li>* Susan Gina Rowe</li> <li>Geraldine M. Schultz</li> <li>* Marilyn Christine Shirvani</li> <li>Dawn Crystal Silvia</li> <li>Joan-Anne Simpkins</li> <li>Rebecca Jean Small</li> <li>Maria J. Smiley</li> <li>Robert Michael Sterner</li> <li>* Candi Ann Steward</li> <li>Sandra J. Strom</li> <li>Mary Ellen Strout</li> </ul> |
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 † *High Honors*

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\* Angela Lee Thomas  
† Jean Tolles  
Thomas Francis Vest  
†φ Judith A. Weatherhead

\* Carol Ann Wieden  
\* Cynthia Marie Wright  
Carleen E. Young  
Karen Lynn Zito

### Office Technology General Office Administration, Option

\* Marie Anne Fernandes  
Marybeth Jones

\* Lori A. Madison

### Office Technology Legal Office Administration, Option

Louise Rene Martin  
\* Deborah Elaina Riggs

Jennifer Lee Stalker

### Office Technology Medical Office Administration, Option

Amy S. Crowell

Veronica Rene Grinder

### Retail Management

† Joyce E. Brookshire  
Tracy Ann Casperson  
Kelly A. Morris

Kimberly Ann Nostin  
Christopher D. Palmieri  
Karen Anne Sacramone

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## Commencement Awards and Scholarships

### Aletta S. Root Scholarship

Eileen Marie Scannell

*Presented by the World Federalist Association, Cape Cod & Islands Chapter*

### B. Carson French Scholarship

Gordon S. Lewis

*Presented by the Family and Friends of B. Carson French*

### Cape Cod Bank & Trust Company Scholarships

Pamela J. Davis

John Brian Ready

*Presented by the Board of Directors of Cape Cod Bank & Trust Company*

### Cape Cod Board of Realtors Scholarship

Bonnie Jean Shea

*Presented by the Cape Cod Board of Realtors*

### Cape Cod Community College Educational Foundation Scholarships

Karen Marie Lawrence

James Edward Quinn

Lisa Marie Pomeroy

Francine K. Rodman

### Continuing Education Lifelong Learning Award

Roy H. Stevens

*Presented by the Cape Cod Community College Continuing Education Faculty & Staff*

### Continuing Education Scholastic Achievement Awards

Barbara A. Costa

Nancy C. Lepri

*Presented by the Cape Cod Community College Continuing Education Faculty & Staff*

### Dr. David G. Scanlon Memorial Scholarship for International Understanding

Susan Kay Lannen

*Presented by the Family and Friends of Dr. David G. Scanlon*

### Doris A. Bates Award

Jennifer Lee Stalker

*Presented by the Colleagues and Friends of Doris A. Bates*

### Doris B. Fauteaux Scholarship

Susan S. Roberts

*Presented by the Hyannis Junior Woman's Club*

### E. Carleton Nickerson Scholar Awards

Susan Catherine Collins

A. Stina Gustafson

Melissa A. Corso

Eileen Marie Scannell

Pamela J. Davis

Cynthia Sue Smith

Joanna B. Elsmore

*Presented by the Cape Cod Community College Faculty, Staff & Friends*

### Ernest LeBlanc Memorial Scholarship

Lauri McLeland

*Presented by the Barnstable County Education Association*

### Foster Furcolo Community College Scholarship

Paula Burns

*Presented by the University of Massachusetts - Boston*

### Hyannis Rotary Club - Bob Bain Scholarship

James Edward Quinn

*Presented by the Hyannis Rotary Club*

### James F. Hall Scholarship

Colleen Mary Holden

*Presented by the Board of Directors of the Cape Cod Community College Educational Foundation*

- Lillian B. Rice Memorial Scholarship  
 Patricia Jean O'Brien Sibson  
*Presented by the estate of Lillian B. Rice*
- Margaret M. Kelly Scholarship  
 Sharon Lynne Whyte  
*Presented by the Massachusetts Retired Teachers Association, Cape & Islands Chapter in Memory of Margaret M. Kelly*
- Marion Jordan Scholarship  
 Martha Louise Amster  
*Presented by an anonymous donor*
- Massachusetts Restaurant Association Scholarship  
 Melissa A. Corso  
*Presented by the Massachusetts Restaurant Association*
- Matteson Nursing Scholarship  
 H. Ernest Dodd  
*Presented by alumna Karen Matteson*
- Richard "Twig" Souther Progress Award  
 Catherine Alice Gallagher  
*Presented by the Family and Friends of Richard "Twig" Souther*
- Student Senate Awards  
 Shari L. Boibeaux John Edward Boyle  
 David Charles O'Brien  
*Presented by the Student Senate of Cape Cod Community College*
- Women's Expo Scholarships  
 Sheryn Elaine Kilgore Katrina M. Toran  
*Presented by Women's Expo '92*

## Endowed Scholarships

- Bernard D. and Grace S. Grossman Scholarship  
 Pamela Karson  
*Presented by Mr. & Mrs. Bernard D. Grossman*
- Light, Liberty and Learning Scholarship  
 Kim M. Elliott  
*Presented by an anonymous donor*
- Thomas H. and Barbara Lee Scholarship  
 Kristen Jalbert  
*Presented by Mr. & Mrs. Thomas H. Lee*
- Weezie Foundation Scholarship  
 Melissa A. Corso  
*Presented by the Weezie Foundation*
- William S. Beinecke Scholarship  
 Rhonda L. Santos  
*Presented by Mr. & Mrs. William S. Beinecke*

## Higher Education Coordinating Council

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Arthur Gelb, Sc.D.  
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*Wilbraham*

Jeffrey F. Markuns  
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Jacqueline O'Neill  
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Paul G. Marks  
*Chancellor*

## Cape Cod Community College Board of Trustees

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*East Falmouth*

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*East Falmouth*

## The Academic Procession and Regalia

Traditional commencement academic procession and regalia date back to the Middle Ages. Voluminous gowns were worn to ward off the damp and cold of medieval buildings; mortar boards were used as hats. When those styles were abandoned by laymen, clergy and scholars continued to wear the robes, with variations in style and color identifying different monastic orders. The bachelor, master, and doctor gowns differ stylistically in cut and decorative motif.

Today the hood is especially important in identifying the academic achievements of its wearer. Originally, the hoods were worn over the head. A long tassel is attached to the middle point of the top of the cap to drape over the edge of the mortar board. Tassels may be black, gold, or a color appropriate to the academic field of the wearer. The colors of the hood lining indicate the institution granting the degree. The width of the velvet trim indicates the highest degree held; the color of the trim indicates the field of study.

An intercollegiate code representing different departments of learning has set the standards for academic dress in the United States. The colors are assigned as follows:

Agriculture	<i>Maize</i>	Medicine	<i>Green</i>
Arts, Letters, Humanities	<i>White</i>	Music	<i>Pink</i>
Business Administration	<i>Drab</i>	Nursing	<i>Apricot</i>
Dentistry	<i>Lilac</i>	Oratory	<i>Silver Gray</i>
Economics	<i>Copper</i>	Pharmacy	<i>Olive Green</i>
Education	<i>Light Blue</i>	Philosophy	<i>Dark Blue</i>
Engineering	<i>Orange</i>	Physical Education	<i>Sage Green</i>
Fine Arts	<i>Brown</i>	Public Administration	<i>Peacock Blue</i>
Forestry	<i>Russet</i>	Public Health	<i>Salmon Pink</i>
Home Economics	<i>Maroon</i>	Science	<i>Gold-Yellow</i>
Journalism	<i>Crimson</i>	Social Science	<i>Citron</i>
Law	<i>Purple</i>	Theology or Divinity	<i>Scarlet</i>
Library Science	<i>Lemon</i>	Veterinary Science	<i>Gray</i>

The office of mace bearer is purely ceremonial. It derives from medieval times in England when an official was taking office or opening his court and needed a bodyguard. Then the mace, a formidable weapon, was held ready to protect the person of the dignity.

From the sixteenth century in England and since colonial days in America, it has become a symbol of office only, and is carried by a distinguished member of the faculty. The mace bearer, who immediately precedes the president both entering and leaving the ceremony, while often not included in today's exercises, remains popular on the older campuses in the East.

At Cape Cod Community College, the academic regalia of the Board of Trustees correspond to doctoral caps and gowns with gold tassels; the colorful hoods lined with red display the College colors of silver and blue. Faculty robes signify the wearer's respective university and discipline. The mace, a gift of the Class of 1984, is borne by the Grand Marshal who leads the academic procession.

Minds are like parachutes ...  
they only function when open.

*Unknown*